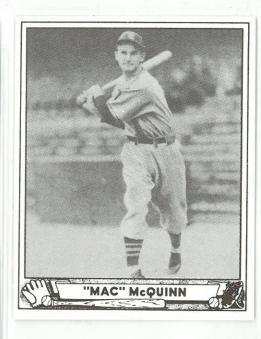


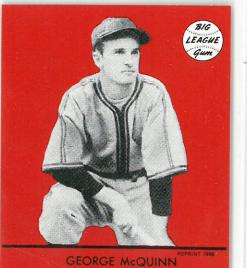


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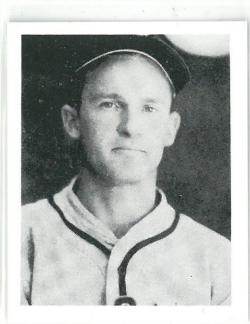
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Tied for crown honors with Hank Greenberg in 1939, McQuinn took all the glory in 1940 with an average of .992, participating in 157 double plays and making only 13 errors in 151 games. While his batting average fell below .300, McQuinn drove in 84 runs for the troublesome Brownies, including 16 home runs, 10 triples and 39 two-baggers. This is his fourth season with the vastly improved St. Louis club.

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VEAR	TEAM	G	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	AVG
1936	Cin-N	38	134	5		3	4	0	13	.201
1938	StL-A	148	602	100	195	42	7	12	82	
1939		154	617	101	195	37	13	20	94	
1940		151	594	78	166	39	10	16	84	
1941	StL-A	130	495	93	147	28	4	18		
	StL-A	145	554	86	145	32	5	12		
	StL-A	125	449	53	109	19	2	12		
	StL-A	146	516	83	129	26		11		
	StL-A	139	483		134	31	3	7	61	
1946	Phi-A	136	484	47	109	23	6	3		
1947	NY-A	144	517	84	157	24	3	13		
1948	NY-A	94	302	33	75	11	4	11	41	.248
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McQuinn spent the early 30s waiting in the Yankee farm system while Lou Gehrig played game after game. He finally got his chance when the St. Louis Browns picked up his contract in 1938. In his first year he put together a 34-game hitting streak and hit .324, with 100 runs scored, 195 hits, 42 doubles, and 82 RBis. In 1939 he improved in almost all categories. George was a 6-time All-Star. In 1944 he was the World Series leading hitter at .438 and won the first game for the Browns with a 2-run homer.										

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